



**Michael A. Foster**

“Baptism of Fire” #3

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1841

**Place of Birth:** Red Sulphur District, Monroe County, VA

**Occupation:** Farmer

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Union, VA

**Company:** Co. D (Monroe Guard)

**Rank:** Private

**Samual McCown Charlton**

“Baptism of Fire” #4

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** July 27, 1835

**Place of Birth:** Lexington, Virginia

**Occupation:** Painter

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 10, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private



**Edward T. Jessup** “Baptism of Fire” #7  
**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry  
**Date of Birth:** May 24, 1844  
**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, VA  
**Occupation:** N/A      **Hair:** Light      **Eyes:** Brown  
**Complexion:** Sallow      **Height:** 5’ 6”  
**Enlistment Date:** July 15, 1861  
**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia  
**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)  
**Rank:** Private

**Andrew Martin** “Baptism of Fire” #8  
**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry  
**Date of Birth:** 1843  
**Place of Birth:** Greenbrier County, Virginia  
**Occupation:** Farmer      **Hair:** N/A      **Eyes:** N/A  
**Complexion:** N/A      **Height:** N/A  
**Enlistment Date:** May 11, 1861  
**Place of Enlistment:** Meadow Bluff, Virginia  
**Company:** Co. F (Greenbrier Sharp Shooters)  
**Rank:** Private

**James Robert Montague**

“Baptism of Fire” #9

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1844

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Student      **Hair:** N/A      **Eyes:** N/A

**Complexion:** N/A      **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 22, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Covington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. A (Alleghany Roughs)

**Rank:** Private

**Charles Copland Wight**

“Baptism of Fire” #10

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** September 24, 1841

**Place of Birth:** Richmond, Virginia

**Occupation:** Student      **Hair:** Dark      **Eyes:** Dark

**Complexion:** Fair      **Height:** 5' 9"

**Enlistment Date:** June 27, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Virginia Military Institute

**Company:** Not assigned to a specific Co.

**Rank:** Drillmaster

**James S. Thomas**

“Baptism of Fire” #11

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1840

**Place of Birth:** Bedford County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Clerk      **Hair:** Black      **Eyes:** Black

**Complexion:** Dark      **Height:** 5’ 8”

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** N/A

**Rank:** Private

**Lewis C. Hall**

“Baptism of Fire” #12

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** N/A

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** N/A      **Hair:** Light      **Eyes:** Grey

**Complexion:** Fair      **Height:** 5’ 6”

**Enlistment Date:** June 30, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Berkeley County, Virginia

**Company:** Co. D (Monroe Guard)

**Rank:** Private

**William P. Icenhower**                      “Baptism of Fire” #13  
**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry  
**Date of Birth:** 1843  
**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia  
**Occupation:** Laborer  
**Hair:** N/A   **Eyes:** N/A   **Complexion:** N/A   **Height:** N/A  
**Enlistment Date:** May 10, 1861  
**Place of Enlistment:** Jackson’s River, Virginia  
**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)  
**Rank:** Private

**Thomas Bradley Mullen**                      “Baptism of Fire” #14  
**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry  
**Date of Birth:** January 15, 1839  
**Place of Birth:** Franklin County, Pennsylvania  
**Occupation:** Moulder   **Hair:** Light   **Eyes:** Grey  
**Complexion:** Ruddy   **Height:** 5’ 6”  
**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1961  
**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia  
**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)  
**Rank:** Private

**Benjamin Matchek Donald**                      “Baptism of Fire” #15

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** July 16, 1844

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Journeyman blacksmith

**Hair:** Dark   **Eyes:** Blue   **Complexion:** Fair   **Height:** 5’ 9”

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**James A. Frazer**                                      “Baptism of Fire” #16

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1843

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Student

**Hair:** N/A   **Eyes:** N/A   **Complexion:** N/A   **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lewisburg, Virginia

**Company:** Co. E (Greenbrier Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**John Silvers**

“Baptism of Fire” #17

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1839

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Laborer

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 10, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Jackson’s River, Virginia

**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Samuel John Nelson McCampbell** “Baptism of Fire” #18

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** August 5, 1837

**Place of Birth:** Lexington, Virginia

**Occupation:** Dentist **Hair:** Light **Eyes:** Blue

**Complexion:** Fair **Height:** 5’ 10 1/2”

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**William David Pitzer**

“Baptism of Fire” #19

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1840

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Tanner

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 22, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Covington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. A (Alleghany Roughs)

**Rank:** Private

**Frederick Davidson**

“Baptism of Fire” #20

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** March 18, 1836

**Place of Birth:** Lexington, Virginia

**Occupation:** Student

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** 2nd Corporal

**Joseph Hanna Carpenter**                      “Baptism of Fire” #21

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** July 24, 1834

**Place of Birth:** Covington, Virginia

**Occupation:** Agent for C & O Cement Mill

**Hair:** N/A    **Eyes:** N/A    **Complexion:** N/A    **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 22, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Covington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. A (Alleghany Roughts)

**Rank:** Regimental Adjutant

**Daniel Edwin Stalnaker**                      “Baptism of Fire” #22

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1839

**Place of Birth:** Union, Monroe County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Clerk                      **Hair:** Brown with sandy whiskers

**Eyes:** Grey                      **Complexion:** Light                      **Height:** 5' 6"

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lewisburg, Virginia

**Company:** Co. E (Greenbrier Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Michael Reid Hanger**

“Baptism of Fire” #23

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1840

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Farmhand

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**John A. Donald**

“Baptism of Fire” #24

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1839

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** N/A **Hair:** Light **Eyes:** Grey

**Complexion:** Fair **Height:** 5' 5"

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Thomas Jefferson Kelly**

“Baptism of Fire” #25

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1841

**Place of Birth:** Ireland

**Occupation:** Miller

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Robert Moore**

“Baptism of Fire” #26

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1838

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Laborer **Hair:** Light **Eyes:** Grey

**Complexion:** Light **Height:** 5' 5"

**Enlistment Date:** May 10, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Jackson's River, Virginia

**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Lewis M. Sprouse** “Baptism of Fire” #27

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** November 16, 1841

**Place of Birth:** Albemarle County, Virginia

**Occupation:** N/A

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 15, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Alleghany County, Virginia

**Company:** Co. B (Virginia Hibernians)

**Rank:** Private

**Henry H. Humphries** “Baptism of Fire” #28

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** January 3, 1836

**Place of Birth:** Alleghany County

**Occupation:** Laborer **Hair:** Darkr **Eyes:** Dark

**Complexion:** Ruddy **Height:** 5’ 5”

**Enlistment Date:** May 10, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Jackson’s River, Virginia

**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Thomas Ira West**

“Baptism of Fire” #29

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** September 21, 1836

**Place of Birth:** Malvern Hill, Henrico County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Lawyer

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lewisburg, Virginia

**Company:** Co. E (Greenbrier Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**John Warwick Daniel**

“Baptism of Fire” #30

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** September 5, 1842

**Place of Birth:** Lynchburg, Virginia

**Occupation:** Student

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lynchburg, Virginia

**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)

**Rank:** 2nd Lieutenant

**William H. Jennings**

“Baptism of Fire” #31

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1837

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Saddler

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Union, Virginia

**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Alexander McD. Patterson**

“Baptism of Fire” #32

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1827

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Laborer

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** July 7, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Thomas Jefferson Hill**                      “Baptism of Fire” #33  
**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry  
**Date of Birth:** March 20, 1827  
**Place of Birth:** Lexington, Virginia  
**Occupation:** Cooper (Barrel Maker)    **Hair:** Dark  
**Eyes:** Grey    **Complexion:** Sallow    **Height:** 6’ 1”  
**Enlistment Date:** May 10, 1861  
**Place of Enlistment:** Jackson’s River, Virginia  
**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)  
**Rank:** 2nd Corporal

**Henry Heilbroner**                      “Baptism of Fire” #34  
**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry  
**Date of Birth:** March 27, 1833  
**Place of Birth:** Hechingen, Germany  
**Occupation:** Merchant    **Hair:** Dark                      **Eyes:** Blue  
**Complexion:** Fair                      **Height:** 5’ 11”  
**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861  
**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia  
**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)  
**Rank:** Private



**Henry H. Peters**

“Baptism of Fire” #37

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1838

**Place of Birth:** Staunton, VA

**Occupation:** Carpenter   **Hair:** Dark                   **Eyes:** N/A

**Complexion:** Dark **Height:** 5’ 11”

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lewisburg, VA

**Company:** Co. E (Greenbrier Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Leroy Queery**

“Baptism of Fire” #38

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1840

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** N/A           **Hair:** Dark hair   **Eyes:** Hazel

**Complexion:** Dark **Height:** 5’ 11”

**Enlistment Date:** May 11, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Meadow Bluff, Virginia

**Company:** Co. F (Greenbrier Sharp Shooters)

**Rank:** Private

**John Joseph Hileman**

“Baptism of Fire” #39

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** March 5, 1834

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Mason

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Asbury C. McClure**

“Baptism of Fire” #40

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1840

**Place of Birth:** Fauquier County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Carpenter

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**John Garibaldi**

“Baptism of Fire” #41

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** April 30, 1831

**Place of Birth:** Genoa, Italy

**Occupation:** Farmer

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 10, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Jackson’s River, Virginia

**Company:** Co. C (Alleghany Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Richard S. McCartney**

“Baptism of Fire” #42

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1841

**Place of Birth:** N/A

**Occupation:** Student

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Union, Virginia

**Company:** Co. D (Monroe Guard)

**Rank:** Private

**Joseph S. Camden**

“Baptism of Fire” #43

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1844

**Place of Birth:** Virginia

**Occupation:** Carpenter’s apprentice

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** July 15, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Alfred Mallory Edgar**

“Baptism of Fire” #44

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** July 10, 1837

**Place of Birth:** Edgar’s Mill, Virginia

**Occupation:** Farmer **Hair:** Dark **Eyes:** Blue

**Complexion:** Dark **Height:** 5’ 9"

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lewisburg, Virginia

**Company:** Co. E (Greenbriar Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**William Miller McAllister**                      “Baptism of Fire” #45

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** March 6, 1843

**Place of Birth:** Springdale, Pennsylvania

**Occupation:** Student

**Hair:** N/A   **Eyes:** N/A   **Complexion:** N/A   **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** July 4, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Camp Clover, Virginia

**Company:** Co. A (Alleghany Roughs)

**Rank:** Private

**Elisha Franklin Paxton**                      “Baptism of Fire” #46

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** March 4, 1828

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Lawyer, farmer, and bank president

**Hair:** Dark   **Eyes:** N/A   **Complexion:** Fair   **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** 1st Lieutenant

**Samual Houston McCullough**                      “Baptism of Fire” #47

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1829

**Place of Birth:** Rockbridge County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Tailor                      **Hair:** Dark                      **Eyes:** Grey

**Complexion:** Light                      **Height:** 5’ 9”

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. H (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private

**Robert W. Samms**                                      “Baptism of Fire” #48

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1840

**Place of Birth:** Virginia

**Occupation:** Farmer

**Hair:** N/A    **Eyes:** N/A    **Complexion:** N/A    **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Union, Virginia

**Company:** Co. D (Monroe Guard)

**Rank:** Private

**Andrew George Davidson Shanklin** “Baptism of Fire” #49

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1834

**Place of Birth:** Monroe County, Virginia

**Occupation:** Farmer

**Hair:** N/A **Eyes:** N/A **Complexion:** N/A **Height:** N/A

**Enlistment Date:** May 9, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Union, Virginia

**Company:** Co. D (Monroe Guard)

**Rank:** Private

**David Guthrie Bowyer** “Baptism of Fire” #50

**Regiment:** 27th Virginia Infantry

**Date of Birth:** 1837

**Place of Birth:** Charlottesville, Virginia

**Occupation:** Painter **Hair:** Dark **Eyes:** Blue

**Complexion:** Light **Height:** 5’ 10”

**Enlistment Date:** April 18, 1861

**Place of Enlistment:** Lexington, Virginia

**Company:** Co. D (Rockbridge Rifles)

**Rank:** Private